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ALEXANDRIA
Kop-el-Nadoura Observatory.

Direction of wind	Force of Anemometer	State of sky	Force of wind	State of sky
North	0	0	0	0
North-east	0	0	0	0
East	0	0	0	0
South-east	0	0	0	0
South	0	0	0	0
South-west	0	0	0	0
West	0	0	0	0
North-west	0	0	0	0
Barometer corrected	761			
Evaporation	0			
State of clouds	0			
Max. Temp. in the shade	30			
Min. Temp. in the shade	20			
Max. Temp. in the sun	30			
Min. Temp. in the sun	20			
Humidity of the air	60			
Heat of the sun	47			
Moisture in the air	47			
Mean rise 4.15 a.m.				
Mean fall 4.45 p.m.				

REMARKS.
There is no change in the weather conditions. The morning opens beautifully clear with a light northerly breeze and a rising barometer.

OTHER STATIONS.
OBSERVATIONS BY SURVEY DEPARTMENT
For the 24 hours ending 8 a.m. yesterday.

Stations.	Max. temp. in the shade.	Min. temp. in the shade.	Stations.	Max. temp. in the shade.	Min. temp. in the shade.
Port Said.	37	20	Mercure.	44	33
Rosetta.	34	21	Albany.	44	38
Cairo Helwan.	33	21	Soakin.	40	27
Cairo Ghiza.	33	18	Charcom.	43	36
Ambard.	41	30	Wad Mahat.	41	21
Assuan.	60	40	Doum.	41	36
Wady Halfa.	43	31			

FOREIGN STATIONS.

Stations.	Barom.	Wind.	Temp.	State of sky.
Trieste.	768.7	Light	23	Very slight Moder.
Malta.	769.0	Moder.	24	Very slight Moder.
Bombay.	765.8	Moder.	36	Very slight Moder.
Athens.	764.3	Almos calm	27	Very slight Moder.
London.	764.6	Light	54	Very slight Moder.

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Phase.	Time.	Rise a.m.	Set p.m.
June 9 Full Moon.	11.13 p.m.	4.33	6.33
11 Last Quarter.	9.34 p.m.	4.51	6.56
21 New Moon.	1.8 a.m.	4.35	6.50
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THE SUGGESTED NEW TRIPLE ALLIANCE.

The "Standard," commenting on the articles in the "Gren's" and the "Vossische Zeitung," remarks: One of the writers unfolds the opinion that if Great Britain, Germany, and Austria were united they would be strong enough to ward off any danger that threatened the maintenance of peace. That is quite probable. What does the writer mean by the three States being "united"? As he refers to the strength of the combined Armies and Navies he seems to be suggesting an alliance. The condition of a healthy alliance is that its stipulations cover action on the part of each of the Powers parties to it identical with the action which that Power is bound to take in pursuance of its own ideals or vital interests. Two Powers whose independence or other great aims are threatened at the same time by the same Power are naturally driven to combine for their mutual protection. This was the case in the time of Queen Elizabeth when the English and Dutch both found themselves in conflict with the then formidable strength of Spain. It was the case in the time of William the Third, when Great Britain and Holland were both defending themselves against the aggressive policy of Louis XIV. The basis of an alliance is usually a common danger. Sometimes it has been a common purpose of expansion. Thus in 1866 the policy of Prussia was to establish herself at the head of a German confederation in the place of Austria. The purpose of Italy was to obtain possession of Venetia, then an Austrian province. Both Prussia and Italy were contemplating the permanence of their policy by force of arms, and therefore it was natural that they made an alliance. But it was not a very healthy alliance, because when Italy wished to begin the war Prussia declared that though the alliance bound Italy to fight wherever Prussia should begin, it did not bind Prussia to begin when Italy was ready. This was possibly a correct interpretation of the letter of the treaty. But the Prussian interpretation greatly incensed the Italian statesmen, who never forgot the

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LES PROCES EN PREEMPTION

La Cour d'appel mixte a eu à statuer dernièrement sur diverses demandes en préemption qui ont été rejetées pour la plupart.

C'est ainsi qu'à l'audience du 31 mai dernier, cinq demandeurs en préemption ont été déboutés pour des motifs divers.

Dans une affaire Monstappa Attia Moncharaffa contre Benjamin Aghion, il s'agissait d'une préemption exercée par un voisin contre un autre voisin acquéreur. L'arrêt décide à ce propos en principe : "que si la loi admet la préemption du voisin même à l'égard du voisin acquéreur, l'esprit de la loi et l'équité commandent, pourtant que, toutes choses étant à peu près égales au point de vue de la situation respective des fonds, l'acquéreur diligent soit préféré au préempteur qui a négligé de faire une acquisition soignée, utile, en fait, la préemption d'un intérêt supérieur; que préférer le préempteur reviendrait à encourager une spéculation répréhensible, consistant à prendre une attitude d'expectative avec une arrière pensée de préemption, au lieu d'offrir immédiatement au voisin un juste prix; qu'ainsi la jurisprudence admet qu'en l'égard du voisin acquéreur, le voisin préempteur doit justifier d'un intérêt supérieur, qui soit parti, nécessairement certain, évident, incontestable; et qu'il faut, en cas de doute, respecter la liberté des contrats et débouter le demandeur en conformité du vœu adage : *actore non probante, reus absolvitur*."

En conséquence, la cour déboute le demandeur "sur la base même des données d'une expertise" dont les conclusions étaient pour, tant favorables au préempteur.

Dans une autre cause (J. M. Sapriel et fils contre El Cheik Abou Zeid et Consorts), le préempteur est débouté pour n'avoir pas justifié de sa prétendue qualité de propriétaire voisin.

En l'espèce le préempteur invoquait des ventes à réméré.

La Cour décide que la teneur même des actes produits révélait de véritables nantissements auxquels on avait donné la forme fallacieuse d'une vente, dite à réméré, en vue d'éluder la disposition de la loi, qui défend de stipuler que "l'objet du gage restera, faute de paiement, la propriété de l'acquéreur, qui a seulement le droit de provoquer la vente sous les mêmes conditions que tout autre créancier" (C.C. art. 665).

Enfin dans deux autres affaires, se présentait, comme dans l'affaire de Mena House, la question de savoir si la contiguïté légale des deux fonds existait dans l'espèce, étant a priori acquis au procès que les deux fonds ne sont contigus que d'un seul côté et la controverse portant sur le point de savoir si les fonds litigieux devaient être tenus pour ruraux ou urbains.

Cette question était soulevée pour la première fois en appel. Dans l'une des affaires (Alfred Campos contre Hassan Aly Saïf), il s'agissait d'un terrain vague situé sur le territoire du village de Siouf; et dans l'autre affaire, (Khalil pacha Kayat contre Hanna Diokhekinian), d'un terrain planté de dattiers et situé à Zahrab.

Dans les deux causes, les terrains ont été considérés comme ruraux et conséquemment la préemption a été écartée.

La Cour représentant la thèse déjà développée, dans l'arrêt de Mena House, décide "que la nature urbaine ou rurale d'un fond dépend selon la lettre et l'esprit, de la loi sur la préemption, du point de savoir si le fond est situé en dedans ou en dehors d'une agglomération bâtie; qu'il est en effet aisé de comprendre que la préemption doit être plus facilement admise dans la première hypothèse, à raison des inconvénients spéciaux que les rapports de voisinage peuvent offrir et des limitations à l'exercice du droit de propriété que peut entraîner la proximité des constructions édifiées ou à édifier dans les centres dits urbains."

Dans les deux causes, les préempteurs se prévalaient du but spéculatif que les préempteurs avaient eu en vue en achetant le terrain préempté à un prix indiquant une intention de transformer l'immeuble en terrain à bâtir. Mais la Cour déclare cette raison non émolante, "car la loi (dit-elle), en "parlant de terrains destinés à être bâtis," vise expressément une destination réelle, objective et actuelle, résultant de leur situation dans une ville ou un village et non pas une destination purement subjective et partant plus ou moins hypothétique ou aléatoire."

A signaler encore un arrêt rendu en cause de Alfred Nahman — contre Nesler et Cie sur une importante question de forme : l'arrêt décide, par confirmation d'un jugement du Tribunal Mixte d'Alexandrie, que la demande en préemption ne peut être valablement introduite que par exploit notifié à personne ou au domicile réel de l'assigné; l'art. 15 du Décret sur la préemption, qui règle la forme de la demande en préemption, n'ayant consacré la matière aucune dérogation à la règle générale de la signification à personne ou au domicile réel. Dans l'espèce le préempteur s'était cru autorisé à notifier l'exploit au domicile du préempteur dans une mise en demeure que ce dernier notifie au voisin en conformité de l'art. 19 du Décret sur la préemption.

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NOTES ET CRITIQUES

Le Caire, Lundi 18 Juin.

Le taux de l'escompte libre à Londres a été réduit, vendredi passé, de 1/8 à 3/8 pour cent. Au Stock Exchange, le Consolidé anglais a clôturé le même jour, en baisse de 1/4 de livre à 88 3/4 et samedi en nouvelle baisse de 1/8 à 88 5/8. Par contre, l'Unité a haussé, en ces deux séances, de 1/4 à 104 1/2. La National Bank, l'Agricole et la Daira sont restées invariables à 25 1/2, 9 5/8 et 17 1/8. La Delta Light a reculé de 1/4 à 11 3/4.

A Paris, l'action Crédit Foncier a perdu 2 francs vendredi passé pour les regagner le lendemain à 770. La Banque d'Athènes a rétrogradé de 1 franc à 154.

Ici, nous avons eu, ce matin, un marché calme, avec des transactions restreintes et des changements peu importants dans les cours. Le National Bank et l'Agricole ont clôturé à leurs prix précédents, soit 25 1/2/9/16 et 9 5/8/11/16. La Banque d'Orient a reperdu 2 francs à 130. Le Comptoir Financier a avancé à 7/8 l'action ancienne et 5 13/16 la nouvelle; la part de fondateur est remontée à 38.

L'action Crédit Foncier s'est maintenue à 770; la part de fondateur a reculé à 90/930. La Béhéra a progressé à 36 1/2/3/7.

L'action Immobilière s'est inscrite à 368-370, ex-coupon de 19 francs la part de fondateur à 568, ex-coupon de 16 francs.

Les actions privilégiées Tramways d'Alexandrie se sont relevées à 188 et les dividendes à 345.

Les Omnibus du Caire ont faibli à 24.

La part de fondateur Allotment a fléchi à 124-125.

Rien de particulier à signaler sur les autres titres.

Dans le groupe des Hôtels, les Nungovich se sont raffermis à 15 2/8/7/16 l'action ancienne et 5 5/16 3/8 la nouvelle. Les Baehier ont été également bien tenus à 5 1/4/5/16. Les Upper Egypt se sont consolidés à 4 1/4. Les Splendid ont reculé à 3 7/8.

Parmi les petites valeurs, les Estates sont restés à 1 21/32; la part de fondateur a fait 9 7/8-10. Les Salt and Soda sont revenues à 20 sh. 6.

Les Sucreries ont baissé à 21-22 francs.

Suivant les dernières informations de Paris, il se confirmerait que le Crédit Foncier Égyptien appellerait sous peu le versement de Frs. 125 sur les actions, probablement en deux paiements de Frs. 62,50.

Nous détachons d'une lettre de Londres, en date du 10 Juin, les lignes suivantes :

La situation monétaire reste plus ou moins inchangée. L'escompte libre tend à se détendre légèrement ici, bien que les prévisions ne soient pas favorables. L'état de la Banque d'Angleterre s'est, certes, amélioré; la réserve de billets est de plus de 43 % et l'encaisse a reçu de l'or pour achats sur place et par arrivages d'Égypte. Mais les taux libres d'escompte trimestre et semestre sont nivelés à 1/16 pour cent près, ce qui indique bien l'opinion dominante sur le marché.

A Berlin, où le taux s'est quelque peu tendu, on est dans les mêmes idées. A Paris seulement, l'aisance persiste. A New-York, une commission parlementaire a approuvé le projet de loi Fowler, qui crée un système de circulation monétaire appelé à empêcher les paniques d'automne en permettant de satisfaire aux besoins de capitaux à l'époque des récoltes."

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ARRIVALS.

June 17.
Esperanza, Brit. s., capt. Yeroyanni, Cyprus and Port Said, Moss & Co.

June 18.
Semiramis, Aust. s., capt. Martinovich, Trieste and Brindisi.

Midlothian, Brit. s., capt. Shearer, Leith and Malta, Grace & Co.

Armonia, It. s., capt. Carlevaro, Marseilles and Livorno.

Amphitrite, Aust. s., capt. Tomasovich, Constantinople and Port Said, Lloyd.

Schleswig, Germ. s., capt. Pesch, Marseilles and Naples, Schoeller.

Salonique, Turk. s., capt. Amandigos, Venice, Boin Eff.

Magda, Greek s., capt. Papalaz, Smyrne, Homy.

Vasilissa Olga, Greek s., capt. Maroulis, Salonica and Piræa, Nanopoulos.

William Knight, Brit. s., capt. Williams, Barry, Barber & Son.

Kypros, Greek s., capt. Pithis, Mersina and Port Said, Filavachi.

June 19.
St. Antonio, It. s., capt. Lembo, Trani.

Lefkessia, Greek s., capt. Eliadis, Filavachi.

DEPARTURES.

June 18.
Uranos, Aust. s., capt. Bartoli, Syria and Constantinople.

Leona, Brit. s., capt. Crother, Hornillo, in ballast.

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For Messina, by the S.S. Milo, sailed on the 9th June:

Various, 210 bags rice, 1,655 packages sundries

For Cyprus, by the S.S. Irini, sailed on the 9th June:

Various, 50 bags beans, 22 cases cognac

For Candia, by the S.S. Athènes, sailed on the 9th June:

Various, 3 bales tobacco, 40 bales cotton thread, 10 bales empty bags, 100 bags natron, 4,140 bags rice, 224 empty casks, 28 packages sundries

For Syria, by the S.S. Assouan, sailed on the 9th June:

Various, 140 bales tobacco, 2 bales cotton thread, 317 bags rice, 50 bags natron, 162 bags coffee, 22 bags beans, 420 lumps iron, 6,000 lumps wood, 37 barrels oil, 31 empty barrels, 19 barrels wine, 16 bales empty bags, 199 packages sundries

For Algiers and Hule, by the S.S. Ay, sailed on the 9th June:

Various, 8,221 tons cotton seed, 1,752 ardebs cotton seed, 2,532 bags onions, 250 bags sugar, 4 packages skin

For Barcelona and Marseilles, by the S.S. Foria, sailed on the 9th June:

Various, 44 bags gum, 220 bales empty bags, 1,025 bales cotton

For Cyprus, by the S.S. Esperanza, sailed on the 12th June:

Various, 100 bags rice, 40 bags beans, 325 packages sundries

For Constantinople, by the S.S. Constantinos, sailed on the 12th June:

Various, 1,342 bags rice, 51 bales henna, 68 bales skin

For Cyprus, by the S.S. Lefkessia, sailed on the 13th June:

Various, 600 packages sundries

For Brindisi and Venice, by the S.S. Nilo, sailed on the 15th June:

Various, 15 bales cotton, 189 empty barrels, 3 packages sundries

For Constantinople, by the S.S. Marie Reine, sailed on the 15th June:

Various, 50 bales skin, 250 bags rice, 100 bales henna, 100 packages sundries

NOTICE.

The Administration of Wakfs is to sell by public auction, on November 21, between 9 a.m. and 1 p.m., at its office at Bab el-Louk, Cairo, the whole lot of 12 feddans and parts situated at Manial-el-R-da, and belonging to the Wakf of the late Ahmed Pacha el Masekili. The upset price per feddan is L.E. 3,000. Apply to the said office, on any day except holidays for all particulars relative to the sale. On the day appointed, applicants must present themselves at the same office, with a view to tender.

All tenders must be accompanied by a security amounting in kind equivalent to 20 per cent. of the total price of the said land.

The Administration reserves to itself the right to accept or refuse any tender.

Applicants whose tenders are accepted must in the course of ten days which are to elapse before they are notified thereof give as guarantee for the auction price of the land in question, good cultivable lands to be valued exclusively by the Administration.

28080 12*2

The Egyptian Hotels Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ninth Annual General Meeting of the Egyptian Hotels Ltd. will be held at the Registered Offices of the Company No. 11, Ironmonger Lane—London—E.C. on Tuesday the 26th day of June 1906 at 8 o'clock p.m. Any holder of Share Warrants to Bearer desirous of attending and voting thereat, must seven days before the date of the said meeting deposit the said Share Warrants at the Registered Offices of the Company, or at the Offices of the Anglo-Egyptian Bank Ltd. in Cairo or London, and shall receive a certificate entitling him to attend and vote at the aforesaid General Meeting.

By order of the Board.
W. B. PRAT & Co., Secretaries.

28105-3A-3

Municipalité d'Alexandrie.

AVIS

La Municipalité met en adjudication les travaux d'une route à la Haute Cléopâtre à Ramleh.

Le cautionnement est fixé à L.E. 15. Le cahier des charges est déposé au Bureau de la Voirie où il peut être consulté par les intéressés tous les jours de 9 h. à midi, les jours fériés exceptés.

Les offres devront être adressées sous pli cacheté à Monsieur l'Administrateur de la Municipalité avant le 26 courant.

Elles pourront également être déposées en séance de la Délégation le même jour à 5 h. p.m.

L'enveloppe devra porter en outre la mention : "Soumission pour empiérement d'une route à la Haute Cléopâtre."

Le cautionnement ou le reçu d'une banque, devra être remis séparément au Service de la Comptabilité Générale avant l'ouverture des offres et au plus tard le 26 courant à midi.

Toute offre qui ne remplit pas les conditions ci-dessus sera écartée.

L'Administrateur.
(Signé) W. P. CHATAWAY.

Alexandrie le 15 Juin 1906. 28118-3-2

Administration des Chemins de Fer de l'Etat Egyptien

AVIS

L'Administration des Télégraphes de l'Etat a l'honneur d'informer le Public qu'elle vient d'ouvrir des Bureaux Télégraphiques au Mansy et à la Citadelle pour la réception et l'expédition des télégrammes. Les dépêches à destination des personnes résidant dans les quartiers seront désormais délivrées par ce bureau, au lieu de l'être par celui de l'Avenue de Boulac, ce qui réduira notablement les délais de livraison.

Pour éviter toute perte de temps, ceux qui adressent des télégrammes à des personnes résidant ou ayant leur maison de commerce dans les dits quartiers, sont priés de vouloir bien ajouter à l'adresse le mot "Monsy" ou "Citadelle", par exemple :

Monsy Cohen
Monsy Cairo, avec toute autre indication utile.

Monsy Cairo ne sera compté que pour un mot.

L'Administration des Télégraphes de l'Etat prie instamment le Public de vouloir bien se conformer à ce qui précède en vue d'assurer à la nouvelle organisation toute son efficacité.

Le Caire, le 15 Juin 1906. 28119-2-2

AVIS

L'Administration des Chemins de fer de l'Etat a l'honneur de porter à la connaissance du public, qu'elle recevra jusqu'au 5 juillet 1906, des offres pour fourniture de bois de Scie suivant les conditions dont on peut obtenir un exemplaire au Bureau des Magasins à Gabbari (Alexandrie) et au Service des Magasins à Boulac contre paiement de cent millimes.

Les offres devront être accompagnées de certificat de versement d'un cautionnement provisoire de L.E. (vingt Livres Égyptiennes). Les offres devront être accompagnées d'une feuille de papier timbré de 30 m/m.—Elles seront adressées par la poste sous pli recommandé, à :

Monsieur le Chef du Service des Magasins, Chemins de fer de l'Etat (Boulac) Cairo.

et sous double enveloppe, l'intérieure portant la désignation suivante :

"Offre pour bois de Scie."

L'Administration ne s'engage pas à accepter l'offre la plus basse, ni à donner suite aux soumissions présentées, et elle se réserve le droit de diviser la commande.

Cairo, le 14 juin 1906. 28110-2-2

AVIS

L'Administration des Télégraphes de l'Etat a l'honneur de porter à la connaissance du public qu'elle dispose de 80 postes vacants à l'Ecole de Télégraphie pour les élèves désirant entrer au Service des Télégraphes.

Les candidats doivent remplir les conditions suivantes :

1. Être de nationalité égyptienne.
2. Avoir obtenu le certificat d'études primaires.
3. Être âgés de 17 ans au moins et de 20 ans au plus;
4. Ils doivent fournir, avec leurs demandes leur certificat de naissance et un certificat de bonne vie et mœurs sur papier timbré de P.T. 5.

Les demandes doivent être adressées à :

Monsieur l'Inspecteur Général des Télégraphes de l'Etat, Cairo.

et seront reçues jusqu'au 1er Août prochain.

Les candidats passeront un examen préliminaire au Bureau Central des Télégraphes et la préférence sera donnée à ceux qui seront à même d'écrire très lisiblement et sans faute un dictée en langues européennes et arabe à raison de 20 mots par minute.

Les élèves qui, dans le courant de l'année passeront avec succès l'examen seront employés comme télégraphistes avec un traitement de L.E. 4 par mois et seront placés dans la cadre à leur tour de promotion au fur et à mesure que des vacances s'y produiront.

Les élèves qui, au bout d'une année, n'auront pas réussi à l'examen, seront licenciés de l'Ecole.

28109-2-2 Le Caire, le 14 Juin 1906.

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CONTRATS

Fluctuations de 9h.30 à 1h. p.m.
Cotons F.G.F.Br.

Dans la matinée; prix plus haut pour juillet.

al. 20 19 32 à — / —; plus bas pour juillet.

20 17 32 à — / —.

Graines de coton

Dans la matinée; prix plus haut pour juillet.

P.T. 63 35/40 à — / —; plus bas pour juillet.

68 35/40 à — / —.

Remarques

(De midi à 1h. p.m.)

Cotons.—La situation n'a pas varié et la séance a fini calme tant pour l'ancienne que pour la nouvelle récolte toutefois la tendance ne paraît pas mauvaise.

Graines de coton.—Marché très ferme avec plus d'acheteurs que de vendeurs.

La nouvelle récolte aussi est dans les mêmes conditions.

Fèves.—En forte baisse sans acheteurs.

Bourse Khédiviale, le 18 juin 1906

COTONS

Coupe de la dépêche

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(Cours pratiqués ce jour à la Bourse Khédiviale à 9h. 45 a.m.)

Tal. 20 13/32 Livraison Juillet

" 20 8/8 " Août

" 16 37/32 " Novembre

" 16 11/16 " Janvier

Marché quiet

Arrivages de ce jour, à Minet-el-Bassal

cotons 600

(Cours pratiqués ce jour à la Bourse Khédiviale à 1h. p.m.)

Tal. 20 9/32 Livraison Juillet

" 20 15/32 " Août

" 16 7/8 " Novembre

" 16 3/4 " Janvier

Marché quiet

MARCHE DE MINET-EL-BASSAL

19 juin 1906. (11h.55 a.m.)

Cotons. — Clôture du marché du 18 juin : Marché soutenu.

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Haute-Egypte — 67

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Fayoum : disponible : —

Qualité Saïdi Cond. Saïd P.T. 125 à 130

Lintilles. — Soutenues

Disponible : Rien

Cond. Saïd P.T. 95 à 100

Orges. Sans changement

Cond. Saïd P.T. 70 à 75

Mais. — Sans changement

Disponible : Rien

Cond. Saïd P.T. 80 à 85

Exportation de 18 juin

Coton Bal. 519

THE BAGDAD RAILWAY.

POLITICAL ASPECTS OF THE UNDERTAKING.

In a special article dealing with the Bagdad Railway, the "Grenzboten" (Berlin) expresses the opinion that the time has arrived for the British Government to enter into negotiations with Germany regarding the political aspects of the undertaking. It observes that British capitalists are eager to participate in the enterprise, but that the German concessionaires will not consent to their co-operation except on conditions agreeable to the German Government.

Two projects are at present under consideration for the prolongation of the railway over the Taurus Mountains, at the foot of which the enterprise now runs. One of these projects favours the adoption of a north easterly route, the other of a south easterly route. Each direction would serve different interests. Once the mountains have been crossed the work of carrying the railway across the Mesopotamian Plain, says the "Grenzboten" will be comparatively easy and rapid, and when Bagdad is reached the question of a terminus on the Persian Gulf will immediately become acute. The interests of Russia and Great Britain in that question, the journal insinuates, are not identical but antagonistic. Moreover, the Russian Government for its part has given the most explicit assurances to the Foreign Office in Berlin that it will enter into no agreement with Great Britain affecting German interests without first consulting with Germany or inviting its co-operation. Sir Edward Grey has also repudiated the assumption that his Government desires to effect an understanding with Russia which shall be directed against Germany.

This being the case, the "Grenzboten" argues that it would be wiser if the British Government were to open a discussion with Berlin now instead of waiting until the railway has crossed the Taurus, when time might be wanting to arrive at a settlement satisfactory to both countries. Great Britain, it adds, is actuated by the wish that the railway shall have its terminus at Koweit, and it is eminently desirable that an agreement shall be established beforehand on that point in order that an early beginning may be made upon the extensive harbour and other works which the operations of the railway would entail. The completion of those works, it argues, would occupy several years.

Other questions requiring regulation are those arising out of the forwarding of goods and the administration of the Customs and postal services. The organisation of a post along the railway is one to which Germany attaches especial importance, and it would be essential, in the opinion of the "Grenzboten," which assuredly derives its views from official quarters, that the post office at the Persian Gulf terminus should be German.

The journal concludes by emphasising the interest which Great Britain must necessarily take in the railway owing to the portentous consequences which it will have in strengthening the forces of the Moslem and in enabling the Sultan to concentrate his troops with great rapidity at the extremities of his Empire.

BRITISH RELATIONS WITH GERMANY.

The generally friendly attitude of the European, and especially the British, Press on the occasion of the Emperor William's visit to Vienna has given politicians at Berlin (a telegram says) an opportunity of once more bringing to the fore the question of Anglo-German relations, which it is obviously the object of Germany's present policy to improve. The hearty reception accorded to the German Burgomasters in England and the cordial speeches of British Ministers have created the best impression on people of all classes, and the Government is desirous of maintaining this feeling.

The "Vossische Zeitung," discussing the Emperor William's visit as bearing upon the question, argues that if three nations like Great Britain, Germany, and Austria, possessing as they do the greatest Navy and the greatest combined Armies in the world, were united they could ward off any danger that threatened the maintenance of peace. The journal expresses the hope that a meeting will be arranged between King Edward and the Emperor, although it admits that the time for it has not yet arrived. The "Vossische Zeitung," however, notes with satisfaction that the relations between Great Britain and Germany are now being discussed in a spirit quite different from that of a year ago.

SHIPPING IN THE LEVANT.

The Consular report for the trade of the Cyclades in 1905 shows that Great Britain has maintained her position in the Levantine ports, the tonnage of British shipping during the year having amounted to no less than 15,090,000 tons. Austria-Hungary comes next with 7,380,000 tons, then Greece with 5,920,000 tons, Turkey with 4,278,000 tons, Italy with 3,844,000 tons, and Russia with 3,360,000 tons. The carrying trade of Great Britain appears thus to be more than twice as much as that of any of the Great Powers locally interested, while of those not locally interested it is a noteworthy fact that Germany, which has made such efforts lately to obtain banking business in the Levant (and German banking, of course, means to a large extent the promotion of German industrial enterprise), was only represented in 1905 by a shipping of 1,770,000 tons.

PITH OF THE PRESS.

EXTRACTS FROM HOME PRESS.

One-Sided Facilities.

The country may have voted for the unifying of elementary schools under the public authority, for the removal of any grievance under which Nonconformists supposed themselves to be suffering, and for reasonable independence on the part of the teachers; but it certainly did not vote for the extinction of denominational teaching as given hitherto. So much the Government show that they recognise, by assigning an important place in their Bill to facilities for the denominations. But something has happened between the general election and the introduction of the Bill. Not only are the facilities entirely one-sided and inadequate, but on the broad question of whether denominational schools shall survive at all the Government have clearly wavered. ("Times.")

Mr. Seddon's Death "a loss to Empire."

The British Empire has lost one of its statesmen whom it could least afford to spare; England has lost one of her most devoted sons. The totally unexpected and pathetic death of Mr. Seddon will awaken the sincerest regret in this country, for very few Colonial statesmen have succeeded in getting hold of the British public as Mr. Seddon did; none, with the exception of Cecil Rhodes, has ever appealed so vividly to the imagination of the British democracy. Richard Seddon, or "King Dick," as he was popularly called, was a man after the heart of the democracy of England. He was one of themselves, in a sense that Rhodes was not; he was the architect—or, rather, the builder—of his own fortunes. ("Telegraph.")

Power of Faith and Energy.

It was said of Daniel Webster that he was a steam engine in trousers; but an American visitor reported that Mr. Seddon had outdone Webster, and could only be described as a human dynamo. To this energy, which was both physical and mental, he added a genial manner, which was the genuine expression of a warm heart. "We must take a kindly view of human nature," was one of his favourite sayings, and one of the secrets of his power. He had three supporting faiths—faith in himself, faith in New Zealand, and faith in the British Empire. Such a man, who had played so conspicuous a part in public life, deserves Imperial honour. ("Chronicle.")

South African Appreciation.

His (Mr. Seddon's) Imperialism was sometimes a little aggressive in manner and a little loud in utterance, but when other politicians were vilifying their country as if it were a den of thieves his honesty was a wholesome corrective. ("Cape Times.")

Horror of the Congo.

The witnesses heard by the Commission of Inquiry were unanimous, and it was found that on all hands natives had been killed or mutilated for not having brought in a sufficient quantity of rubber. ("Journal des Debats.")

King Alfonso as Reformer.

During the last few years there has been a new note of sincerity and zeal in Spanish politics, and the King may bestow the greatest blessings on his country if he gives free play to the hopes and ambitions that were so long defeated by the corruption and make believe of the official parties. ("Tribuna.")

English Sport not Repulsive.

It may be that in the English universities, as well as among the English nation in general, too much importance is attached to sport and games. But the happy medium is difficult to find, and exaggerated sport has certainly nothing repulsive in it, like drinking and debauchery. ("Die Woche," Berlin.)

John Bull's Indifference to Science.

At Berlin and other Continental centres of geographical and learned attainment, British indifference to the claims of science has long been a by-word. What know we, for instance, of the interior of Mongolia, or of the watershed whence those mighty rivers, the Yangtze, the Mekong, the Salween, and the Brahmaputra issue? Hardly anything of a really informing character from the standpoint of science, geographical, racial, political, or commercial. ("Globe.")

??? PROJECTION ???

Prochainement ouverture du "Projection cinématographique" (Ex-Théâtre des Pyramides) d'une fixité absolue d'un éclairage parfait, avec diverses vues attrayantes du meilleur goût. Changement de programme chaque semaine. 28108 6 2

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BISHOP POTTER ON BRITISH IDEAS.

"UNJUST IMPRESSIONS OF AMERICA."

Judging by the communications of New York correspondents, Bishop Potter has reserved his most pointed criticisms of Britons until his return to his own land, and some of his statements there are decidedly interesting, not to say surprising, considered in connection with his pronouncements whilst in England.

"British ideas of America," he is reported to have remarked, are mostly vague. They have certain unjust impressions about us. When I arrived in England on this last trip the insurance scandals were absorbing public attention. I then told the English reporters that the only difference between the English and American peoples was that Americans washed their dirty linen in public, while Englishmen washed theirs in private. No English paper published this."

Bishop Potter added: "There is no love lost between the two countries. There is a great deal of gush over international friendship, but it is only gush. Prosperity is not a promoter of peace. A great many Englishmen think we are too eager for gain, but the more acute and serious thinkers among them do not believe that we are grafters."

The "Evening Sun" publishes a satirical editorial on Bishop Potter's comments. The paper suggests that the Bishop returned home suffering from "gout." Otherwise he would not gaze into the future through blue spectacles. The "Sun" further says that England is not inclined to hush up her scandals, as is evidenced by the investigations of the abuses in connexion with the Transvaal war.

No newspaper so far supports the Bishop's pessimistic views of the situation, but the "Evening Post" publishes an editorial attack on the New York correspondents of London newspapers for credulously cabling all the stories about America regarding the meat scandal without a close scrutiny. The paper says: "American yellow journalism, which is playing into the hands of the English correspondents, is infusing foreign suspicion and heightening our national disgrace."

THE PRINCE'S INDIAN COLLECTION.

During his tour in India a valuable collection of animals and birds was presented to the Prince of Wales by the Maharajah of Nepal—a State which the Prince was prevented from visiting owing to an outbreak of cholera. With characteristic kindness, the Prince telegraphed to the Zoological Society, of which he is the vice-president, asking if the authorities would arrange to receive and exhibit the collection. As a matter of course, the offer was gratefully accepted, and the president (the Duke of Bedford) undertook to defray the expenses of the transport home.

On March 2 Mr. Arthur Thomson, the assistant superintendent, was sent out to Calcutta to take charge of the collection, which had been brought down to the gardens of that city; and a little later a keeper followed. Owing to the excessive heat a number of birds died in India, but the collection was shipped on board the Tactician, a Harrison liner, which left Calcutta on May 6, having also on board two native keepers from the gardens of Calcutta.

The Tactician arrived at Tilbury Docks a few days ago, and the animals were housed for the night at the Commercial-road goods depot of the Tilbury and Southend Railway. Very early the following morning the work of transferring them to the Gardens was commenced, and by noon all the cases were safely deposited on the hitherto unoccupied area on the North Bank, which will henceforward be known as the Prince of Wales's exhibition ground. Then the carpenters were set to work, and by sunset all the collection had been shifted from the travelling cages to the houses they will occupy for the next few months.

It is not quite easy to give an exact list of the animals at present, but the characteristic Indian mammals are well represented. Thus, there is a young rhinoceros, which is probably the most valuable addition to the menagerie; a baby elephant, which was the delight of everybody on the passage home; a fine tigress—the typical beast of prey of the East, where the lion is almost extinct, even in its last retreat of Kathiawar; two leopards, two Himalayan bears, sambar, swamp, axis, and hog deer; a musk deer, black buck, nilghai, and fourhorned antelope; burriel, or blue sheep of Tibet; Himalayan wild goats and markhors; albino mountain goat, probably the first brought to England; a Tibetan mastiff, shorn of its heavy coat on the passage, as it suffered so much from the heat; and some of the wild dogs that figure in Kipling's "Jungle Stories."

Thus it will be evident that the exhibition will be eminently typical of the fauna of our Indian Empire. It will probably be a few days, however, before the collection is open to the public, as the collection will, in the first place, be inspected by the Prince of Wales.

UM RUS MINING.

Cable from the mines gives the return for May as follows.—510 tons of ore were crushed, 360 cwt of bar gold were produced, valued at £1,942. 488 tons of tailings have been stored of an average assay value of 3 dwts per ton. The mill ran 18 days for 24 hours.

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SPORT AND PLAY.

MR. MARSDEN'S XI v. VICTORIA COLLEGE.

A match was played on Saturday last between Mr. T. H. Marsden's XI and Victoria College, and ended in a win for the latter by 67 runs, the result being chiefly due to the excellent bowling of Mustard and the fine fielding of the school boys.

The scores are as follows:—
VICTORIA COLLEGE.

A. Morrison, c. and b. Marsden	14
S. Oberri, b. Dawson	3
A. Verry, b. Marsden	1
A. E. Aubrey, c. and b. Marsden	59
A. Mustard, l.b.w. b. Marsden	21
S. Lagouin, c. Hanley, b. Dawson	10
F. U. Lowick, b. Dawson	0
A. G. Lisa, l.b.w. b. Marsden	8
M. Saleh, c. and b. Dawson	1
M. Abou-el-Ezz, c. Marsden, b. Dawson	10
M. Antonios, not out	1
M. Curiel, b. Dawson	0
Extras	7
Total	128

MR. MARSDEN'S TEAM.

G. Hanley, b. Aubrey	5
H. Cheesman, b. Mustard	3
W. Blythman, run out	1
P. Harrison, b. Mustard	3
T. H. Marsden, b. Aubrey	16
W. P. Chataway, b. Mustard	0
H. Dawson, b. Aubrey	9
A. Shepherd, b. Mustard	0
A. Hanley, not out	8
F. G. Freeman, b. Mustard	4
J. Lees, b. Mustard	9
P. Hewett, b. Mustard	0
Extras	3
Total	61

KHEDIVIAL YACHT CLUB.

REGATTA.

The handicap for tomorrow's regatta is the same as last week.
Class I. Course B. Class II. Course N.

Calendar of Coming Events.

ALEXANDRIA.	
June 19	Windsor Hotel. Concert by De Salvo orchestra. 6-12 daily. (Sun days 11-1 also). Masserini's Menagerie. Behind G.P.O. 9.
Wed 20	Alhambra. Italian operetta company in "The Geisha."
Thurs 21	Khedivial Yacht Club. Regatta. Alexandria Municipality. New Quay Lands. Second Public Auction. 10. A.C.C. Ground. E.T.C. v. Victoria College. 2.
Sat 23	Mustapha Range. B.R.C. (Alex.) Practice. 2.30. San Stefano Casino. Small Dance. 10.
Sun 24	San Stefano Casino. Concert. 10.30 and 4.30.
CAIRO.	
June 19	Ezbekieh Gardens. Performance by British Military Band. 9. Théâtre des Nouveautés. 9.30. Alcazar Parisien. 9.30. New Theatre Abbas. 9.
Fri 22	Zoological Gardens. Afternoon Concert by the Ghizeh Boys' Band. Ezbekieh Gardens. Performance by British Military Band. 9.
Sun 24	Zoological Gardens. Concert by Ghizeh Boys' Band. Afternoon.

Commercial and Financial Supplement

"Egyptian Gazette."

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